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Applicant: Jackie Y. Ying et al.  
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For: NANOCRYSTALLINE APATITES AND COMPOSITES,  
PROSTHESIS INCORPORATING THEM, AND METHOD FOR  
THEIR PRODUCTION  
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Transmitted herewith are the following documents:

- Amendment with Attachments A-E
- Petition for 2 Month Extension of Time
- Declaration Under 37 C.F.R. §1.132 of Edward Ahn
- Return Receipt Postcard

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

**CLAIMS AS AMENDED**

	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest No. Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	Addl. Fee
<b>TOTAL CLAIMS</b>	78 -	73 =	5 X	\$ 9 =	\$45.00
<b>INDEP. CLAIMS</b>	5 -	5 =	0 X	\$ 43 =	\$ 0.00

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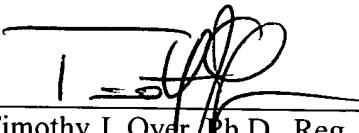
PETITION FOR TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME = \$210.00

**TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT** = \$ 255.00

If the enclosed papers are considered incomplete, the Mail Room and/or the Application Branch is respectfully requested to contact the undersigned at (617) 720-3500, Boston, Massachusetts.

A check in the amount of \$255.00 is enclosed to cover the filing fee. If the fee is insufficient, the balance may be charged to Deposit Account 23/2825. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,  
*Jackie Y. Ying et al., Applicant*

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